THE REPORT

OF THE

NORTHAMPTON GENERAL LUNATIC ASYLUM,

FROM

JANUARY 1, 1868, TO DECEMBER 31, 1868;

ALSO

THE STATE OF THE ACCOUNTS

FOR THE YEAR.

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AT THE

GENERAL STATED ANNUAL COURT OF DIRECTORS,

Held the 24th day of February, 1869 :

The Annual Reports of the Committee of Management, the Medical Superintendent, and the Chaplain were read.

The Statement of Accounts for the year 1868 was also read.

And it was Resolved—

That the above-named Reports and Statement of Accounts, together with the Financial and Statistical Tables, be published under the direction of the Finance Committee.

It was Resolved Unanimously—

1. That the Thanks of this Court be most cordially offered to the Reverend Sir George S. Robinson, Bart., for his most valuable and long-continued services as Chairman of the Committee of Management.

2. That the Thanks of this Court be presented to the Chairman and Vice-Chairman of the Committee of Management for the very valuable services they have rendered to the Institution during the year.

3. That the Thanks of this Court be given to the Noblemen and Gentlemen composing the Committee of Management for their valuable services during the past year.

4. That the Thanks of this Court be given to Messrs. Boémé and Page for their good services as Treasurers during the past year.

5. That the Thanks of this Court be given to R. Howes, Esq., for his good offices as Auditor during the past year.

6. That the Thanks of this Court be given to the Finance Committee for their good offices during the past year.

NORTHAMPTON

GENERAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

THE REPORT

OF

THE COMMITTEE OF MANAGEMENT

FOR THE YEAR 1868.

Another year's Report of the Committee of Management will confidently assure the Directors and the public of the continued good conduct and success of our Lunatic Hospital.

Attention is invited to the Report of the Medical Superintendent, where many particulars and statistics are given of the numbers treated, of the cures, and average rate of deaths, and general healthiness of the house.

A statement of a trial of separate and systematic treatment of Idiot Children will command much attention. This system it is intended to carry out as soon as room can be obtained, by new buildings and arrangements. In order to obtain this room for the better classification of patients, lunatic and idiot, and for the increasing number of County Patients, considerable additions are proposed to be made by raising a third story on the two-storied parts of the building. These additions will probably be spread over two or three years, and are to give, ultimately, 200 new beds and four day rooms, at an estimated cost of, say £3,000.

A sum of £2,623. 13s. 5d. has been laid out during the last year in new buildings and alterations, the principal one being the House of the Superintendent, which has been occupied since August last.

The average number of Pauper Patients daily employed on the

Farm, and in Workshops and Laundries, has been

152 Men out of 180.
155 Women out of 180.

The change of Officers which has occurred during the past year, and the long-continued illness of the Secretary, has thrown a great increase of work and responsibility on the Superintendent, and the Committee desire to acknowledge Mr. Bayley's most able, willing, and successful exertions to keep all departments of the Hospital in order and efficiency.

GEO. S. ROBINSON, Chairman.
WM. SMYTH, Vice-Chairman.

The Chaplain, in his Report to the Committee of Management, stated that, during the whole of the time he had officiated in the Chapel, the good behaviour and attention of the individuals forming the congregation had been fully equal to what he had ever witnessed in any Parochial Church. That their great attention to the service had frequently been manifested by the appropriate remarks made to him on the sermon, and that he was much gratified in being able to say that the permission to attend the Sunday and daily Services in the Chapel was regarded by very many, perhaps by most, of the patients as a valuable privilege, of which they were anxious to avail themselves; for time after time much dissatisfaction had been expressed to him by several of the patients when it had been necessary to refuse their going.

THE REPORT

OF

THE MEDICAL SUPERINTENDENT

FOR

THE YEAR 1868.

My Lords and Gentlemen,

I beg leave to submit to you the Annual Report of the Medical Superintendent.

On January 1st, 1868, there were in the Asylum 224 males and 225 females, making, with 1 male and 2 females absent on trial, a total of 452. Of these, 38 males and 51 females were Private, and 187 males and 176 females were County Patients.

During the past year 57 males and 53 females, total 110, have been admitted ; of these, 18 males and 4 females were Private, and 39 males and 49 females were County Patients. Sixty-one have been discharged ; of these, 5 males and 6 females were Private, and 25 males and 25 females County Patients. One male and 2 female Private, and 25 male and 20 female County Patients have died. The number of Patients who have been under treatment during the year amounts to 282 males and 280 females, total 562.

The average number resident has been 447. There were remaining in the Asylum on January 1st, 1869, 226 males and 227 females, total 453, an increase of 1 as compared with the corresponding period last year.

The following Statistical Tables correspond with those which were given for the first time last year :—

TABLE I.—*Showing the Admissions, Re-admissions, Discharges, and Deaths, during the year* 1868.

	M.	F.	T.	Males.	Females	Total.
In the Asylum, 1st January, 1868 (inclusive of absent on trial, m. 1, f. 2)				225	227	452
Admitted for the first time during the year	48	41	89			
Re-admitted during the year ...	9	12	21			
Total admitted				57	53	110
Total under care during the year				282	280	562
Discharged or removed—						
Recovered	21	25	46			
Relieved	7	5	12			
Not Improved	2	1	3			
Died	26	22	48			
Total Discharged and Died during the year ...				56	53	109
Remaining in the Asylum, Dec. 31st, 1868 ...				226	227	453
Average number resident during the year				222	225	447

TABLE II.—*Showing the Admissions, Re-admissions, and Discharges from* 1845 *to the present date,* 31*st December,* 1868.

	M	F.	T.	Males.	Females	Total.
Patients admitted during the period of 24 years ...				1125	1082	2207
Re-admissions				144	136	280
Total of cases admitted				1269	1218	2487
Discharged or removed—						
Recovered	437	498	935			
Relieved	132	138	270			
Not Improved	137	106	243			
Died	415	344	759			
Total Discharged and Died during the 24 years ...				1121	1086	2207
Remaining Dec. 31, 1868				226	227	453
Average numbers resident during the 24 years ...				159	157	316

TABLE III.—*Showing the Admissions, Discharges, and Deaths, with the Mean Annual Mortality, and Proportion of Recoveries per Cent. of the Admissions for each Year since* 1845.

Year.	Admitted.			Discharged.									Died.			Remaining 31st Dec. in each year.			Average Number Resident.			Per centage of Recoveries on Admission.			Per centage of Deaths on average numbers resident.		
				Recovered.			Relieved.			Not Improved.																	
	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.
From Oct. 1, 1845	12	27	39	3	1	4	0	2	2	1	2	3	0	1	1	100	111	211	117	115	232	25·0	3·7	10·2	0	·8	·4
1846	79	73	152	21	27	48	10	5	15	5	11	16	17	11	28	127	128	255	119	122	241	26·5	37·0	31·5	14·3	9·0	11·6
1847	67	47	1 4	24	26	50	6	8	14	8	4	12	25	18	43	132	119	251	129	121	250	35·3	56·5	43·8	19·3	14·8	17·2
1848	55	55	110	22	18	40	7	16	23	8	6	14	14	10	24	135	124	259	133	122	255	40·0	32·7	36·3	10·5	8·2	9·4
1849	57	53	110	16	22	38	10	9	19	14	7	21	15	10	25	138	125	263	138	124	262	28·5	40·7	34·5	10·9	8·0	9·5
1850	48	54	102	16	21	37	12	12	24	9	6	15	19	14	33	132	127	259	135	129	264	33·3	39·0	36·5	14·0	10·8	12·5
1851	61	45	106	17	14	31	5	5	10	15	9	24	21	11	32	134	137	271	134	132	266	27·8	31·1	29·2	15·6	8·3	12·0
1852	45	57	102	15	19	34	9	9	18	9	10	19	16	18	34	130	137	267	135	135	270	33·3	33·3	33·3	11·8	13·3	12·6
1853	63	49	112	16	11	27	8	6	14	8	6	14	21	16	37	142	145	287	140	141	281	25·8	22·0	24·2	15·0	11·3	13·1
1854	50	48	98	17	23	40	6	6	12	18	23	41	19	12	31	130	129	259	145	145	290	34·0	48·0	40·8	13·1	8·2	10·7
18 5	35	29	64	10	10	20	2	2	4	4	3	7	20	14	34	127	128	255	131	130	261	28·5	34·5	31·2	15·2	10·7	13·0
1856	36	28	64	9	13	22	4	9	13	1	0	1	8	8	16	140	126	266	134	130	264	25·0	46·5	34·3	6·0	6·1	6·0
1857	41	34	75	12	15	27	9	2	11	6	1	7	9	13	22	145	126	271	142	121	263	29·2	44·2	36·0	6·3	10·7	8·3
1858	54	82	136	17	25	42	3	4	7	4	3	7	15	11	26	157	159	316	150	147	297	27·8	33·3	30·9	10·0	7·4	8·7
1859	52	54	106	22	42	64	7	2	9	4	6	10	16	12	28	161	157	318	159	159	318	42·3	77·8	60·4	10·0	7·5	8·7
1860	45	53	98	24	18	42	4	3	7	2	2	4	12	13	25	166	175	343	160	165	325	53·3	33·9	42·8	7·5	7·8	7·7
1861	50	50	100	20	23	43	1	4	5	2	1	3	20	14	34	174	182	356	172	181	353	40·0	46·0	43·0	11·6	7·7	9·6
1862	61	46	107	18	26	44	3	7	10	4	0	4	18	16	34	191	180	371	185	180	365	29·5	26·5	41·1	9·7	8·8	9·3
1863	54	59	113	21	11	32	6	3	9	...	1	1	20	17	37	199	207	406	198	185	383	38·9	18·6	28·3	10·1	9·2	9·6
1864	56	49	105	25	18	43	2	1	3	7	3	10	19	22	41	202	212	414	205	213	418	43·5	37·5	40·9	9·2	10·3	9·8
1865	57	52	109	17	31	48	2	5	7	4	0	4	23	12	35	213	212	425	211	219	430	30·3	58·5	44·0	10·9	5·4	8·1
1866	50	61	111	28	34	62	4	9	13	1	...	1	22	24	46	209	206	415	209	211	420	56·0	55·7	55·8	10·5	11·3	10·9
1867	68	76	144	26	25	51	5	4	9	1	1	2	20	25	45	225	227	452	218	215	433	38·2	32·9	35·9	9·1	11·6	10·3
1868	57	53	110	21	25	46	7	5	12	2	1	3	26	22	48	226	227	453	222	225	447	36·8	47·1	41·8	11·7	9·7	10·7
Total.....	1253	1234	2487	437	498	935	132	138	270	137	106	243	415	344	759				159	157	316						

TABLE IV.—*Showing the History of the Annual Admissions since* 1845, *with the Discharges and Deaths, and the Numbers of each Year Remaining on the* 31*st December*, 1868.

Year.	Admitted. New Cases. Males.	Admitted. New Cases. Females.	Admitted. Relapsed Cases. Males.	Admitted. Relapsed Cases. Females.	Admitted. Total.	Of each year's admissions, discharged and died, in 1868. Recovered. Males.	Recovered. Females.	Recovered. Total.	Relieved. Males.	Relieved. Females.	Relieved. Total.	Not Improved. Males.	Not Improved. Females.	Not Improved. Total.	Died. Males.	Died. Females.	Died. Total.	Total Discharged and Died of each year's Admissions to 31st December, 1868. Recovered. Males.	Recovered. Females.	Recovered. Total.	Relieved. Males.	Relieved. Females.	Relieved. Total.	Not Improved. Males.	Not Improved. Females.	Not Improved. Total.	Died. Males.	Died. Females.	Died. Total.	Remaining of each year's Admissions, Dec. 31, 1868. Males.	Remaining of each year's Admissions, Dec. 31, 1868. Females.	Remaining of each year's Admissions, Dec. 31, 1868. Total.
1841	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Oct. 1, 1845	7	25	5	2	39	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	3	12	15	3	3	6	3	4	7	3	7	10	0	1	1
1846	72	62	7	11	152	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	23	35	58	10	11	21	13	8	21	26	17	43	7	2	9
1847	57	38	11	8	114	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	30	17	47	6	10	16	6	4	10	21	14	35	4	2	6
1848	47	47	8	8	110	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	14	20	34	7	9	16	8	9	17	23	15	38	3	2	5
1849	50	54	6	0	110	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	18	22	40	9	8	17	7	8	15	22	12	34	1	3	4
1850	47	53	1	1	102	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	13	19	32	8	10	18	5	3	8	19	17	36	3	5	8
1851	56	41	5	4	106	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	19	15	34	9	10	19	13	4	17	15	11	26	5	5	10
1852	45	56	0	1	102	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11	13	24	4	9	13	7	11	18	19	18	37	4	6	10
1853	58	45	4	5	112	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	17	18	35	11	6	17	8	5	13	21	16	37	6	4	10
1854	48	47	2	1	98	...	...	..	..	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	2	19	21	40	6	4	10	4	5	9	17	16	33	4	2	6
1855	35	29	0	0	64	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	1	1	2	11	11	22	6	4	10	2	3	5	15	9	24	1	2	3
1856	33	25	3	3	64	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	2	13	15	28	6	3	9	1	2	3	12	4	16	4	4	8
1857	37	30	4	4	75	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10	17	27	5	2	7	4	0	4	17	11	28	5	4	9
1858	57	62	4	13	136	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	2	18	33	51	6	4	10	4	2	6	21	27	48	5	16	21
1859	46	51	6	3	106	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	30	37	67	4	4	8	3	2	5	10	7	17	5	4	9
1860	39	38	6	5	98	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	18	22	40	3	0	3	1	1	2	13	21	34	10	9	19
1861	42	41	8	9	100	2	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	22	23	45	2	6	8	4	1	5	10	12	22	12	8	20
1862	51	38	10	8	107	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	20	19	39	3	1	4	3	0	3	20	14	34	15	12	27
1863	52	55	2	4	113	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	26	19	45	2	2	4	0	3	3	16	16	32	11	19	30
1864	47	38	10	10	105	1	...	1	1	...	1	...	...	...	2	1	3	19	21	40	2	4	6	4	0	4	17	8	25	14	16	30
1865	48	50	8	3	109	...	2	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	23	27	50	2	8	10	3	0	3	10	6	16	19	11	30
1866	42	50	8	11	111	1	...	1	1	..	1	...	...	..	4	1	5	15	26	41	5	3	8	1	1	2	15	13	28	14	18	32
1867	61	66	7	10	144	8	12	20	1	4	5	1	...	1	10	4	14	25	26	51	3	6	9	1	0	1	17	13	30	22	31	53
1868	48	41	9	12	110	7	11	18	3	6	3	1	1	2	3	9	12	7	11	18	3	0	3	1	1	2	3	9	12	43	32	75
Total...	1125	1082	144	136	2487	21	25	46	7	5	12	2	1	3	26	22	48															

TABLE V.—*Showing the causes of Death during the year.*

Causes of Death.	Males.	Females.	Total.
Apoplexy	1	3	4
Epilepsy	4	1	5
Chronic Disease of Brain	2	2	4
General Paresis	2	0	2
Maniacal Exhaustion	2	2	4
Bronchitis	3	4	7
Pneumonia	0	1	1
Phthisis	4	1	5
Disease of Heart	1	2	3
,, Bladder	1	0	1
Ovarian Disease	0	1	1
Diarrhœa	0	1	1
Senile Decay	6	4	10
	26	22	48

TABLE VI.—*Showing the Length of Residence in those Discharged Recovered and in those who have Died during the year.*

Length of Residence.	Recovered.			Died.		
	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.
Under 1 month	0	0	0	1	3	4
From 1 to 3 months	3	2	5	2	3	5
,, 3 ,, 6 ,, ...	3	11	14	1	4	5
,, 6 ,, 9 ,, ...	7	6	13	3	2	5
,, 9 ,,12 ,, ...	1	2	3	2	1	3
,, 1 ,, 2 years	2	3	5	7	1	8
,, 2 ,, 3 ,, ...	0	1	1	3	0	3
,, 3 ,, 5 ,, ...	2	0	2	1	1	2
,, 5 ,, 7 ,, ...	2	0	2	0	1	1
,, 7 ,,10 ,, ...	0	0	0	1	2	3
,, 10 ,,12 ,, ...	1	0	1	2	0	2
,, 12 ,,15 ,, ...	0	0	0	2	3	5
,, 15 ,,20 ,, ...	0	0	0	1	1	2
Total	21	25	46	26	22	48

TABLE VII.—*Showing the Duration of the Disorder on Admission, in the Admissions, Discharges, and Deaths during the Year* 1868.

Class.	Duration of Disease on Admission in Four Classes.											
	Admissions.			Recovered.			Removed, Relieved, &c.			Died.		
	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.
FIRST CLASS—First attack, and within three months on admission	20	18	38	13	16	29	3	3	6	14	7	21
SECOND CLASS—First attack, above three and within twelve months on admission	10	10	20	2	3	5	2	1	3	4	2	6
THIRD CLASS—Not first attack, and within twelve months on admission	12	16	28	5	6	11	2	1	3	4	4	8
FOURTH CLASS—First attack or not, but of more than twelve months on admission	15	9	24	1	0	1	2	1	3	4	9	13
Total	57	53	110	21	25	46	9	6	15	26	22	48

TABLE VIII.—*Showing the Ages of Admissions, Discharges, and Deaths during the Year* 1868.

Ages.	Admissions.			Discharges.						Deaths.		
				Recovered.			Removed, Relieved or otherwise.					
	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.
From 5 to 10 years	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
,, 10 ,, 15 ,,	0	2	2	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0
,, 15 ,, 20 ,,	0	6	6	0	2	2	0	1	1	1	1	2
,, 20 ,, 30 ,,	14	7	21	2	8	10	0	1	1	1	0	1
,, 30 ,, 40 ,,	15	10	25	5	7	12	3	2	5	5	1	6
,, 40 ,, 50 ,,	5	10	15	5	4	9	1	0	1	2	3	5
,, 50 ,, 60 ,,	10	7	17	2	2	4	2	0	2	5	2	7
,, 60 ,, 70 ,,	7	10	17	5	1	6	1	0	1	4	8	12
,, 70 ,, 80 ,,	4	1	5	1	1	2	2	1	3	7	7	14
,, 80 ,, 90 ,,	1	0	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	1
Total.....	57	53	110	21	25	46	9	6	15	26	22	48

TABLE IX.—*Condition as to Marriage in the Admissions, Discharges, and Deaths during the year* 1868.

Condition as to Marriage.	Admissions.			Discharges.						Deaths.		
				Recovered.			Removed, Relieved, or otherwise.					
	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.
Married.....	23	24	47	13	14	27	5	3	8	11	10	21
Single	25	21	46	5	10	15	2	2	4	8	7	15
Widowed	9	8	17	3	1	4	2	1	3	7	5	12
Total	57	53	110	21	25	46	9	6	15	26	22	48

TABLE X.—*Showing the Probable Causes, Apparent or Assigned, of the Disorder, in the Admissions, Discharges, and Deaths, of the year* 1868.

Causes.	Admissions.			Discharges.						Deaths.		
				Recovered.			Relieved, or otherwise.					
	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.
Moral—												
Anxiety	0	3	3	1	0	1	0	0	0	2	1	3
Grief	0	4	4	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Religion	1	0	1	2	1	3	0	0	0	1	0	1
Love	0	1	1	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Trouble	2	4	6	1	2	3	0	0	0	0	3	3
Fright.....	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
False accusation ...	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
Physical—												
Carbuncle	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Congenital	6	3	9	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	1	1
Climate of India...	2	0	2	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Disease of Stomach	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
,, Brain ...	3	2	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	1	5
Epilepsy	3	2	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	1	4
Hereditary	3	1	4	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0
Ill-treatment	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Injury to head.....	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Over-work	0	1	1	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0
Parturition	0	1	1	0	1	1	0	1	1	0	1	1
Sunstroke	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	1
Unascertained	35	28	63	14	19	33	8	3	11	15	13	28
Total	57	53	110	21	25	46	9	6	15	26	22	48

TABLE XI.—*Showing Position or Occupations of the Admissions during the year* 1868.

MALES.		FEMALES.	
Beerseller	1	Charwoman	1
Butcher	1	Daughters of Labourers	5
Bookkeeper	1	Domestic Servants	3
Bootcloser	1	Housewives	2
Carpenter	1	Idiots	3
Clerk in Holy Orders	1	Lacemakers	2
Commission Agent	1	Laundrymaid	1
Corkcutter	1	No occupation	4
Currier	1	Nurse	1
Draper	1	Sempstresses	2
Domestic Servant	1	Shoeliner	1
Farmers	8	Shoestabber	1
Grocer	1	Widows of Labourers	5
Herbalist	1	Wife of Boatman	1
Idiots	6	Wife of Draper	1
Labourers	15	Wives of Labourers	13
No occupation	4	Wife of Prison Warder	1
Platelayer	1	Wife of Railway Fitter	1
Shoebinder	1	Wives of Shoemakers	4
Shoemakers	5	Wife of Stonemason	1
Solicitor	1		
Toll Collector	1	Total	53
Woodman	1		
Yeoman	1		
Total	57		

TABLE XII.—*Showing the State of Health of the Patients Admitted during the year* 1868.

	Good Health.	Feeble.	Emaciated.	Total.
Males	18	35	4	57
Females	8	42	3	53
	26	77	7	110

TABLE XIII —*Showing the Daily Return of the House, and Occupation of the Patients on Particular Days.*

MALE DEPARTMENT.

	Jan. 24.	Ap. 24.	July 24.	Dec. 24.
Total number of Patients in the House—				
Private	38	41	42	47
Pauper	186	181	179	178
Under Medical Treatment	14	11	4	6
Attending Chapel	18	17	21	20
Employed—				
On the Farm and Garden	71	75	77	76
Stable	1	1	1	1
Steward's Offices	2	2	2	2
Kitchen	2	2	2	2
Ward Cleaning	16	16	16	16
Other Domestic Offices	7	7	7	9
Tailors	6	6	5	4
Shoemakers	9	8	6	7
Upholsterer's Shop	20	21	20	23
Carpenters	2	2	2	2
Masons	4	7	7	8
Painters	2	5	4	5
Smiths	3	3	3	2
Laundry	1	1	2	1
Total employed	146	156	154	158

FEMALE DEPARTMENT.

	Jan. 24.	Ap. 24.	July 24.	Dec. 24.
Total number of Patients in the House—				
Private	49	46	44	45
Pauper	179	178	183	182
Under Medical Treatment	16	11	11	5
Attending Chapel	35	38	30	28
Employed—				
In Kitchen	11	12	12	13
In Laundry	44	45	47	48
In Sewing-room	3	4	2	4
Needlework in Ward	38	40	33	38
Ward Cleaning	28	31	25	28
Other Domestic Offices	48	46	43	34
Total Employed	172	178	162	165

The total number of admissions during the year (although less by upwards of 30 than in 1867) is quite up to the average of the preceding years; the number of applications for admission of Female Private Patients has been remarkably small, while the number of the same class admitted on the Male side has been unusually large. The total number of Private Patients admitted has, therefore, been about the same as in former years. The average number of the Private Class resident, 88, has been higher than in the two preceding years.

Of the 61 discharges 46 had recovered, 12 were sufficiently well to return to their friends, and 3 had not improved; of these latter one had been admitted on an informal certificate, and was discharged to be re-admitted, and the other two were transferred to other Asylums.

There is nothing connected with the death-rate of the past year calling for special notice; the chief causes of death have, as usual, been diseases of the brain, phthisis, and old age. I am again fortunate in being able to report that there has been no death from suicide, and that no accidents of a serious character have occurred.

Three inquests have been held. In the first case M. L., a Female County Patient, was in a dying state when admitted on March 9th, and died a short time after. From the evidence given at the inquest it appeared that the woman had been a patient in the Infirmary, and was removed to the Hardingstone Union, from whence (having been certified to be insane) she was brought here; a *post mortem* examination made by Dr. Barr revealed extensive disease of the lungs, and a verdict of death from natural causes was recorded. The second case was that of an epileptic boy, H. C., who was found dead in his bed, having turned over on to his face when in a fit; a verdict of death from epilepsy was returned. In the third case a Female County Patient, J. L., died suddenly shortly after going to bed. She had been suffering from an attack of acute mania, but seemed to be recovering; a post mortem examination proved that apoplexy was the cause of death, and a verdict to that effect was recorded.

Reference to the Weekly Medical Report shows that 11 male and 46 female patients have been secluded during the year for periods varying from half an hour to 21 days. This, as compared with the former records of this Asylum, appears to be a very large number, and requires some explanation. It used, I am told, to be customary only to return those as secluded who had been placed in their rooms for occasional violence or temporary excitement. All other cases, including recent admissions, patients suffering from acute mania, epilepsy with violence, &c., were returned as "sick and in bed," although they were locked in their rooms; now it is a rule, strictly carried out, that if a patient is placed in a single room, *with the door locked*, whatever may be the cause, whether sickness, violence, or excitement, even if the time does not exceed a few minutes, a verbal report must be immediately made to one of the Medical Officers, and the case is entered as one of seclusion. In many of these cases the lock of the door is turned merely to keep other patients out of the room who would

annoy and irritate the sick or feeble. It was found necessary on one occasion to tie the arms of a lady to the side of her bed; she had injured herself, and would not allow the surgical appliances to remain on; but this is the only case of restraint that has occurred.

Three females and five males have escaped. The women were none of them away more than a few hours. In the case of the men two were absent the night, one for three days, one seven days, and the fifth was not brought back, having been secreted by his friends until after the time allowed by law for his recapture.

The general health of the patients during the year has been good. One idiot child sickened with scarlet fever in the autumn, and the Assistant Medical Officer also suffered from the disease, but fortunately it did not spread through the house.

The average number of patients employed has been—males 152, out of 226 or less; females 155. The men were occupied chiefly as farm and garden labourers, tailors, shoemakers, upholsterers, carpenters, masons, painters, smiths, &c. The women were principally employed in the laundry, kitchen, and at needle-work, &c.

The attendance at Chapel has been large, the building being generally filled.

Much has also been done in the School, especially on the female side, where several young girls have learned to read and write, and many adult patients, whose education was very imperfect on admission, have improved before leaving the Asylum.

The following is a list of the Amusements and Entertainments which have been given during the past year, with the view of doing away with the dreary monotony of Asylum life, especially during the long Winter Evenings :—

1. Patients' Annual Ball.....January 2nd
2. Theatricals..... ,, 9th
3. Theatricals..... ,, 22nd
4. Private Patients' Ball..... ,, 23rd
5. Theatricals.....February 14th
6. Theatricals..... ..... ,, 21st
7. Concert ..... ,, 27th
8. Concert .....April 8th
9. Cricket Match.....July 2nd
10. Out-door Fête..... ,, 23rd
11. Concert .....December 10th
12. Concert and Theatricals..... ,, 30th

Average attendance at the above Entertainments—Males, 55; Females, 60.

Weekly Dance every Thursday. Average attendance—Males, 35; Females, 55.

In June last, with the sanction of the Committee of Management and the Commissioners in Lunacy, and with the approval of the Relatives of the Patients, a party, consisting of 11 Gentlemen and 12 Ladies, with six Attendants, under the supervision of the Assistant Medical Officer and Matron, spent a month at Lowestoft, where a house had been previously taken for them. The trip appears to have been much enjoyed by the Patients, and nothing of a disagreeable character, such as that which happened on a

former visit to the Welsh coast, occurred to mar the pleasure of the holiday.

Good progress has been made in the additions and improvements which were sanctioned at the commencement of the year. Among others, I may mention a three-story building projecting from the centre tower on the male side, containing, on the basement, a general bath-room for county patients; on the ground floor a boot-room and a bath for recently admitted cases; on the second floor a bath-room for private patients, and a scullery adjoining the private patients dining-room; and on the third floor a dormitory for nine beds, and also a wide stone staircase reaching to the third story. On the female side an ironing-room and a large drying-closet have been built adjoining the laundry.

The stone staircase on the female side of the front building has been removed and re-built nearer to the centre of the House. The kitchen has been much altered, and entirely re-arranged, the steam boilers and the scullery being quite separated from the cooking kitchen, which is now light and airy, and free from the clouds of steam and disagreeable smells which used to be so much complained of.

It may be interesting to those Directors who are endeavouring to establish a School for Idiots in connection with this Institution to know the result of the endeavours which have been made to improve the condition of those idiot children who are now in the Asylum.

Until the beginning of the past year it had been the custom to place idiot children in the lunatic wards amongst the other patients, and to treat them as ordinary lunatics. Having heard a great deal about what had been done at Earlswood and other Institutions of a similar character, I could not help feeling that some attempt ought to be made to improve the mental condition of the children placed under our care, and with this view I selected seven, three girls and four boys, whose ages ranged between 4 and 11, and placed them in a large room, which was fitted up as a nursery, under the charge of a nurse, whom I chose for the purpose, having noticed her kindness and attention to the children beforehand. To assist the nurse I selected two patients, a young imbecile, but good natured girl, and an old woman who had taken to one of the children when first admitted. The result of the experiment will be best explained by giving a slight history of some of the cases from the time of admission until now.

1. R. I., a male, aged four years, son of labourer, stated to have been an idiot from birth, but gradually getting worse. His mother states that she can do nothing with him; is obliged to watch him day and night; that he breaks anything that comes in his way; puts his hands in the fire; she is both obliged to tie his hands and to tie him in bed. On admission he was found to be in a very dirty state, and emaciated; his habits were dirty; he was unruly and noisy; he could not feed himself, but eat his food greedily; he appeared to understand what was said to him, but could not speak. He is now clean, and has improved in health and condition; his habits are clean; he is obedient, docile, and quiet; he sleeps in a bed by the side of the nurse; sits up to the table and feeds himself with a

spoon; he is still unable to speak, but understands all that is said to him, and is easily taught to do anything.

2. F. F., male, aged 11 years, son of a labourer. On admission he was in feeble health, and in poor condition, but appeared to have been well attended to; he could not speak, and did not appear to understand what was said to him, but sat constantly in a corner with his legs crossed like a tailor, biting his hands and uttering a short shrill cry; he eat his food greedily, seizing it with both hands, and cramming his mouth full; his habits were dirty, and he was destructive, tearing his bed-clothes, &c. He is now in good health; takes his food sitting at the table, and feeding himself with a spoon; is not dirty in his habits, and can speak a few words; does not sit about biting his hands; is generally employed unpicking dresses, which he does most carefully, taking out each stitch separately without tearing the dresses. He scrubs out the pantry every morning, doing it well and properly, lays the cloth for meals, sets the plates and mugs, and makes himself generally useful.

3. G. H. W., aged 5 years, son of a labourer, idiot from birth, subject to epileptic fits. When admitted he was in a filthy state, covered with vermin, and his clothes were in rags; he was very feeble and emaciated; the lower bowel was protruding, forming a tumour as large as a man's fist. He could not speak, did not appear to understand what was said to him, and was almost always crying. Now he is a fine, strong boy, healthy looking, has much improved in his habits, sits up to the dinner table with the other children, and is fed with a spoon; is still unable to speak, but understands a great deal that is said to him; the condition of the bowel has been cured, but his case cannot be considered hopeful, as he still suffers severely from epileptic fits.

In all the other cases there is improvement, especially in the health, bodily condition, and habits of the children.

The changes in the staff, caused by the resignation of the Assistant Medical Officer (Mr. Hingston) and of the Chaplain (Rev. S. C. Haines), the long and serious illness of the Secretary and Steward, the alterations and additions going on in sevaral parts of the building, have all tended to increase the responsibility of my position, and have added much to my ordinary duties, but it has been a great relief to me to feel, during this time, that I had to assist me a staff of Officers and Servants in whom I could place confidence, and who performed their duties in a most satisfactory manner.

In concluding this Report, I would beg leave thankfully to acknowledge the kindness and consideration which I have at all times received from the Committee of Management.

I have the honour to be,

My Lords and Gentlemen,

Your obedient servant,

J. BAYLEY.

ABSTRACT OF BENEFACTIONS AND LEGACIES TOWARDS THE ERECTION AND ESTABLISHMENT OF THE ASYLUM.

	£.	s.	d.
The Donation from the Surplus of the Fund for raising and maintaining the late Regiment of NORTHAMPTONSHIRE YEOMANRY CAVALRY—£336. 2s. 9d. Long Annuities, standing in the names of the Right Hon. GEORGE JOHN (2nd) EARL SPENCER, K.G., the highly-respected Colonel of the late Corps; and Captain the Right Hon. the Lord VISCOUNT ALTHORP, M.P.; sold out and re-invested in the same names in 7,000 Three Per Cent. Reduced Annuities; which, with Dividends accrued thereon, amounted to	7,848	12	7
Benefactions and Legacies	16,340	18	6
The Proceeds of Two Concerts, given under the direction of Mr. C. McKorkell	105	13	9
The Northamptonshire Agricultural Society	10	10	0
Congregational Collections	565	9	4
Total received to 31st December, 1851	24,871	4	2
Benefactions and Legacies received between Jan. 1, 1851, and Dec. 31, 1857; and also Legacies up to Dec. 31, 1861, including Dividends on an invested portion thereof (see the Report for 1861, page 33)	1,695	17	0
Subscriptions received towards the erection of a Chapel, between the 1st January, 1858, and the 31st December, 1862	2,147	0	10
Proceeds of a Flower Show at Blisworth, for the Benefit of the Chapel Fund, by H. O. NETHERCOTE, Esq. (1859)	145	0	0
Legacies received in the year 1862	250	0	0
Benefactions in the year 1863	48	3	0
Ditto 1864	32	0	0
Ditto 1865	168	0	0
Ditto 1867	71	0	0
Ditto 1868	21	0	0
Total Benefactions and Legacies	£29,449	5	0

DECEASED BENEFACTORS.

	£.	s.	d.
Allen Mr. John, Northampton, BY WILL	45	0	0
Arnold Mrs., Wormleighton, Warwickshire	50	0	0
Bedford the 7th Duke of	25	0	0
Bateman the 1st Lord	50	0	0
Ditto BY WILL	100	0	0
Brooke Sir Arthur de Capel, Bart	25	0	0
Barber Thomas, Esq., Kensington, BY WILL	156	1	6
Barton Mrs., Maidwell	50	0	0
Bateman Rev. John	21	0	0
Baxter Rev. Robert William	75	0	0
Bishopp Thomas, Esq., M.D.	25	0	0
Blencowe Mrs.	51	0	0
Blencowe Rev. Thomas, BY WILL	31	10	0
Blencowe Robert Willis, Esq.	21	0	0
Botfield Beriah, Esq.	40	0	0
Ditto BY WILL, 1863	21	0	0
Bouverie Edward, Esq.	75	0	0
Butler the Very Rev. George, D.D., Dean of Peterboro'	50	0	0
Butlin Charles, Esq , Rugby	20	0	0
Bull Rev. Dr., Staverton	31	0	0
Cleveland the 2nd Duke of	50	0	0
Cardigan the 6th Earl of	100	0	0
Cardigan the 7th Earl of	125	0	0
Callis John, Esq., Mear's Ashby	20	0	0
Canning Robert, Esq., Hellidon	25	0	0
Cartwright William Ralph, Esq., M.P.	125	0	0
Cave Mrs. Rachel, Quinton, BY WILL	44	10	0
Charlewood Rev. C. B., Oakhill, Cheadle	60	0	0
Christie Langham, Esq.	35	0	0
Ditto BY WILL, 1862	50	0	0
Collins Mr. Peter, Wellingborough, BY WILL	22	10	0
Congreve Mr. Walter Williams	20	0	0
Cooke John, Esq.	25	0	0
Cooke Thomas Alderson, Esq.	25	0	0
Corrie Adam, Esq.	50	0	0
Cowley George, Esq.	20	0	0
Cromeleholme Mrs., BY WILL	100	0	0
Dysart the Countess of	20	0	0
Dolben Sir John English, Bart.	31	0	0
Dundas Hon. and Rev. T. L., LL.D.	25	0	0
Dicey Thomas Edward, Esq.	21	0	0
Drayson William, Esq.	25	0	0

	£.	s.	d.
Exeter 2nd Marquis of	200	0	0
Eland Stephen Eaton, Esq.	31	0	0
Elliott John, Esq.	20	0	0
Elliott Henry, Esq.	20	0	0
Elwes Cary Charles, Esq.	31	0	0
Elwes Robert Cary, Esq.	21	0	0
Fitzwilliam the 3rd Earl, K.G.	250	0	0
Fitzroy the Lord Charles	25	0	0
Fitzpatrick the Ladies	25	0	0
Farrer Rev. Richard, BY WILL	45	0	0
Field Rev. John	28	2	0
Flesher Gilbert, Esq., BY WILL	90	0	0
Fonnereau Mrs., BY WILL	50	0	0
Forbes Launoy Henry, Esq.	21	0	0
Freeman Alderman John	20	0	0
Frisby Mr. V.	23	2	0
Grafton the 4th Duke of, K.G.	100	0	0
Grafton the 5th Duke of	21	0	0
Gunning Sir Robert Henry, Bart.	60	0	0
Gates William, Esq.	21	0	0
Gates John, Esq.	20	0	0
Gibson Alderman, BY WILL	94	10	0
Grant William, Esq.	21	0	0
Grant William, Esq.	25	0	0
Grimsdick Mr. E., BY WILL, 1868	21	0	0
Groves John, Esq.	90	0	0
Gulliver Mr. J.	20	0	0
Gurney Mr. John	20	0	0
Henley the 2nd Lord	25	0	0
Hall Mr. John	100	0	0
Harding Major, BY WILL	95	6	0
Harrison Samuel Wyment, Esq.	25	0	0
Ditto BY WILL	50	0	0
Heygate John, Sen., Esq.	360	0	0
Ditto BY WILL	180	0	0
Heygate Charles, Esq.	20	0	0
Hickman Thomas, Esq.	21	0	0
Hill Charles, Esq.	25	0	0
Hoare Charles, Esq.	100	0	0
Horwood John, Jun., Esq.	20	0	0
Howes Thomas, Esq., Norton	20	0	0
Hunt Miss	50	0	0

	£.	s.	d.
Isham Sir Justinian, Bart.	50	0	0
Ingram Mrs. Mary	100	0	0
Ireson Mr. Charles	20	0	0
Jones John, Esq.	50	0	0
Knightley Sir Charles, Bart.	121	0	0
Knight Rev. Robert Hervey	21	0	0
Lilford the 3rd Lord	70	0	0
Langham Sir James, Bart.	100	0	0
Lampson Mrs.	20	0	0
Ditto BY WILL	450	0	0
Lever Mrs.	20	0	0
Linnell R., Esq., BY WILL, 1861	50	0	0
Litchfield Mr. William, BY WILL	50	0	0
Litchfield Mr. Thomas, BY WILL	90	0	0
Lockton Rev. Thomas	21	0	0
Locock Henry, Esq., M.D.	21	0	0
Lovell Mr. Isaac, Sen.	50	0	0
Lovell John, Esq.	50	0	0
Ditto BY WILL	100	0	0
Lovell Mr. J. A., Mear's Ashby	21	0	0
Lovell Thomas, Esq.	20	0	0
Lovell Mr. G. W., BY WILL, 1857	250	0	0
Lovell Mrs. M. A., BY WILL, 1862	50	0	0
Lovell Mr. Isaac, BY WILL, 1862	50	0	0
Lovett Mr. William, BY WILL, 1860	45	0	0
Loyd Lewis, Esq.	100	0	0
Luck Augustine, Esq., BY WILL	50	0	0
Montague the Lord	50	0	0
Milton the Lord Viscount, M.P.	50	0	0
Medlycott Hon. Mrs. Cockayne	21	0	0
Manning John, Esq.	25	0	0
Manning Mrs.	50	0	0
Manning Mr. John, BY WILL	55	0	0
Markham Charles, Esq.	21	0	0
Markham Christopher, Esq.	20	0	0
Maunsell Thomas Philip, Esq.	60	0	0
Milne Mr. J.	22	2	0
Morgan William Fisher, Esq.	50	0	0
Northampton the 2nd Marquis of	105	0	0
Nethercoat John, Esq.	30	0	0

	£.	s.	d.
Osborn Alderman Francis, BY WILL	45	0	0
Osborn George, Esq., BY WILL	100	0	0
Peterborough Lord Bishop of (Dr. Davys)	20	0	0
Perceval the Lady Elizabeth	43	0	0
Pierrepont Hon. Philip Sydney	125	0	0
Palmer Sir John Henry, Bart.	45	0	0
Peach George, Esq.	20	0	0
Peach Samuel, Esq.	105	0	0
Pell Edwin, Esq.	20	0	0
Pell Mr. John	20	0	0
Percival John, Esq.	70	0	0
Percival Samuel, Esq.	70	0	0
Petit Rev. John Louis	20	0	0
Phipps Mr. Richard	20	0	0
Poyntz Major-General	26	5	0
Reddall John, Esq.	46	0	0
Risbee William, Esq.	21	0	0
Rose William Rose, Esq.	25	0	0
Spencer the 2nd Earl, K.G.	688	10	0
Spencer the 3rd Earl	150	0	0
Spencer the 4th Earl, K.G.	75	0	0
Samwell Wenham Langham Watson, Esq.	50	0	0
Ditto BY WILL	100	0	0
Sargeaunt Rev. John	21	0	0
Sawbridge Henry Barne, Esq.	75	0	0
Sharp Thomas, Esq.	20	0	0
Sheppard Miss, BY WILL	19	19	0
Sikes Rev. Thomas	100	0	0
Sikes Mrs.	20	0	0
Ditto BY WILL	45	0	0
Simms John, Esq., BY WILL	55	0	0
Slater Rev. Thomas, BY WILL	50	0	0
Smith Miss Ann, Olney	50	0	0
Smith John, Esq., Oundle	20	0	0
Smyth Christopher, Esq., BY WILL	400	0	0
Smyth Mrs. Dorothea, BY WILL	100	0	0
Smyth William Tyler, Esq.	35	0	0
Stafford Augustus, Esq., M.P.	30	0	0
Stanton Mr. William	20	0	0
Steevenson Benjamin, Esq.	20	0	0
Stockdale Rev. William	25	0	0

	£.	s.	d.
Throckmorton Lady	21	0	0
Taylor Thomas, Esq., BY WILL	50	0	0
Taylor Miss, BY WILL	50	0	0
Taylor Miss Mary, BY WILL, 1862	100	0	0
Thackeray Mrs., BY WILL	50	0	0
Thornton Lieutenant-General William	563	0	0
Thornton Thomas Reeve, Esq.	60	0	0
Thursby John Harvey, Esq.	21	0	0
Tibbitts Mrs. Northampton	50	0	0
Tibbitts Mrs., Barton Seagrave	20	0	0
Tookey Mr. William, BY WILL	90	0	0
Underwood Francis, Esq.	21	0	0
Westmoreland the 10th Earl of, K.G.	100	0	0
Winchilsea the 10th Earl of	50	0	0
Watson the Hon. Richard	21	0	0
Wake Sir William, Bart.	50	0	0
Wake Sir Charles, Bart.	20	0	0
Watson Rev. J. D.	35	0	0
Wakefield Miss, BY WILL	50	0	0
Walcott William, Esq.	100	0	0
Wallis Mr John	20	0	0
Ward William Zouch Lucas, Esq.	25	0	0
Ward John, Esq., BY WILL	19	19	0
Weller Rev. Dr.	25	0	0
Whitmy Mr. James, Sen.	20	0	0
White Mrs. Ann, BY WILL	46	3	6
Whitton Corbett, Esq, BY WILL	50	0	0
Whitworth Mrs. Elizabeth, BY WILL	90	0	0
Whitworth Mrs. Lucy, BY WILL, 1865	50	0	0
Whitworth Mrs. Mary, BY WILL	50	0	0
Wilson Mrs.	21	0	0
Wildegose Robert, Esq.	20	0	0
Ditto BY WILL	180	0	0
Wildegose John, Esq., BY WILL	180	0	0
Wildegose Charles, Esq.	35	0	0
Ditto BY WILL	180	0	0
Wodhull Michael, Esq.	100	0	0
Worley Mrs. M. A., BY WILL, 1860	300	0	0
Yorke John, Esq.	20	0	0

The Names of Deceased Benefactors of less than £19. 19s. are given in the Report for 1865.

ANONYMOUS DONORS.

	£.	s.	d.
A Gentleman who desired to be unknown, two Benefactions of £100 each, made in the years 1804 and 1807, in trust to the Governors of the General Infirmary, at Northampton; the principal to be applied towards the Building of a Lunatic Asylum, if approved of by them. [Transferred by the said Governors from the funds of the Infirmary to those of this Institution, February, 1839]	200	0	0
A Gentleman who desired to be unknown	105	0	0
"Anonymous," by Five Bank Notes, per post	500	0	0
A Stranger, by the Rev. James Ford	50	0	0
A Friend	50	0	0
A Person Unknown	25	0	0
A Lady	20	0	0
D. L.	20	0	0
A Lady and her Three Daughters	20	0	0
A Person who requested to be unknown, by Dr. Kerr	10	0	0
A Person Unknown	10	0	0
A Friend, by Mr. J. B. Tuck, Wellingborough	10	0	0
A Lady	10	0	0
A Friend to the Asylum	10	0	0
F. L. G., by Edward Bouverie, Esq	20	0	0
D. H., to answer "The Appeal from the Lunatic Asylum"	20	0	0
A Lady and her Two Daughters	15	0	0
A Friend	20	0	0
Anonymous, by Dr. Nesbitt	20	0	0

PRESENT BENEFACTORS.

DONORS OF TWENTY POUNDS ARE DIRECTORS.

See also Additional Donations to the Proposed School for Idiot Children (page 31).

	£.	s.	d.
Argles the Rev. M., Canon of Peterborough	21	0	0
Ashdown George, Esq., Northampton	20	0	0
Attenborough Mr. J., Brampton Ash	25	0	0
Buccleuch the Duke of, K.G.	300	0	0
Bouverie General, Delapré Abbey	45	0	0
Brooke Sir William De Capel, Bart.	35	0	0
Barr Dr., Northampton	21	0	0
Barton Rev. Henry J., Wicken	25	0	0
Barwell Edward Harrison, Esq.	20	0	0
Bateman Arthur Wigley, Esq., Guilsborough	20	0	0
Beasley John, Esq., Brampton	28	0	0
Bennett Mrs. B. E., Marston Trussell	50	0	0
Bennett B. E., Esq., Marston Trussell	40	0	0
Bennett Rev. Henry Leigh	10	0	0
Berkeley Chas. Paul, Esq., Lansdowne-place, London.	20	0	0
Bevan R. Lee, Esq., Brixworth	20	0	0
Bird Mr. William, Northampton	20	0	0
Boddington the Misses, Kingsthorpe	15	0	0
Britten Charles, Esq., Northampton	20	0	0
Buswell Charles, Esq., Hammersmith	21	0	0
Butlin Rev. William, Northampton	20	0	0
Cardigan the Countess of	25	0	0
Compton the Rev. Lord Alwyne, Chadstone	25	0	0
Cartwright Colonel H., Eydon	20	0	0
Calthorp Rev. H., Great Braxted, Essex	20	0	0
Capron George, Esq., Southwick Hall	20	0	0
Cautley Rev. George S.	10	0	0
Cobb Rev. John Francis	30	10	0
Collins William, Esq., Monk's Park, Northampton	50	0	0
Crawley Rev. Henry, Church Stowe	21	0	0
Crawley C. G., Esq.	23	0	0
Dolben W. H. I. M., Esq., Finedon	20	0	0
Dolben Miss, Finedon	11	1	0
Egmont the Earl of	10	0	0

	£.	s.	d.
Fitzwilliam the Earl	100	0	0
Fitzwilliam Hon. G. W., M.P., Milton	120	0	0
Fitzroy the Lord A. C. L., Wakefield Lodge	20	0	0
Faircloth Dr., Rush Mill Cottage, Northampton	20	0	0
Field Rev. J. W., Braybrook Rectory	21	0	0
Francis Dr., Northampton	20	0	0
Grafton the Duke of, Wakefield Lodge	20	0	0
Gates W. B., Esq., Northampton	20	0	0
Geldart Rev. Richard John, D.D., Little Billing	21	0	0
Green Rev. Thomas, Badby	25	0	0
Hunt the Right Hon. G. W., M.P., Wadenhoe	20	0	0
Haggar Thomas, Esq.	20	0	0
Harrison Rev. James H., Bugbrooke	25	0	0
Hall Rev. John Slater, Draughton	20	0	0
Heygate Charles, Esq,, West Haddon	10	0	0
Hibbert Mrs.	20	0	0
Holroyd G. F., Esq.	21	0	0
Hoskins Mrs.	42	0	0
Howes R., Esq., Northampton	20	0	0
Hughes Christopher, Esq., Northampton	21	0	0
Hughes Rev. W. H., Kislingbury	21	0	0
Hungerford H. H. H., Esq., Dingley	55	0	0
Isaac S., Esq	21	0	0
Isham Sir Charles, Bart.	10	0	0
Isham Mrs. J. V.	10	0	0
Isted Ambrose, Esq., Ecton	40	0	0
Ives Rev. Cornelius	10	0	0
James H. J., Esq.	10	0	0
Jenkinson Mr. W., Towcester	21	1	0
Jenkinson Mr. Thomas	25	0	0
Knightley Sir Rainald, Bart., M.P., Fawsley	20	0	0
Knight Rev. R. H., Weston Favel	35	0	0
Lyveden the Lord, Farming Woods	50	0	0
Lamb Richard Howson, Esq., Bragborough	20	0	0
Ley Rev. Jacob, Staverton	20	0	0
Litchfield Rev. Francis, Farthinghoe	20	0	0
Lightfoot Rev. J. P., D.D., Exeter College, Oxford	21	0	0
Lovell William, Esq., West Haddon	10	0	0
Lovell Isaac, Esq., West Haddon	15	0	0

	£.	s.	d.
Milton the Lady Charles	50	0	0
Mordant Sir C., Bart.	10	0	0
Markham A. B., Esq,, Northampton	46	0	0
Markham H. P., Esq., Ditto	46	0	0
Mash James, Esq., Northampton	20	0	0
Mercer John, Esq., Hardingstone	21	0	0
Milne Mr. A., Northampton	20	0	0
Montgomery W., Esq., Milton	15	10	0
Montgomery the Misses, Milton	13	0	0
Montgomery Miss, Milton	20	0	0
Montgomery Miss Harriet, Milton	21	0	0
Northampton Marquis of, Castle Ashby	50	0	0
North Hon. Col. J. S. D., M.P,, Wroxton Abbey	25	0	0
Nethercote H. O., Esq., Moulton Grange	20	0	0
Neville H., Esq., Walcot	10	0	0
Overstone the Lord, Overstone	21	0	0
Osborn George, Esq., Northampton	20	0	0
Osborn Mr. Thomas, Ditto	21	0	0
Percival Frederick S., Esq., Leamington	21	0	0
Percival Samuel, Esq., Ryde, Isle of Wight	20	0	0
Pell Mr. John, 6, Downing-terrace, Canonbury-square, Islington	35	5	0
Perkins Mr., Billing-road	20	0	0
Phipps Mr. John, Northampton	20	0	0
Phipps Mr. John, Jun., Northampton	20	0	0
Pinckard J. T., Esq., Handley	45	0	0
Robinson Rev. Sir George S., Bart., Cranford	80	0	0
Roper-Curzon the Hon. H.	20	0	0
Rice W., Esq., Weston Favel	21	0	0
Ricketts Mrs. F.	20	0	0
Robbins Rev. G., Courteenhall	20	0	0
Rose W. S., Esq., Cransley	20	0	0
Ross Charles, Esq., Portland-place, London	25	0	0
Russell Jesse Watts, Esq., Ham Hall, Ashbourne	95	0	0
Spencer the Earl, Althorp Park	21	0	0
Spencer the Dowager Countess	10	0	0
Southampton the Lord, Whittlebury	126	0	0
Sawbridge Mrs., East Haddon Hall	10	0	0
Searle Mrs.	20	0	0
Sheppard R. E., Esq., Catesby House	20	0	0
Shedden W. G., Esq., Craven Hill Gardens, W.	10	0	0

	£.	s.	d.
Smith George, Esq., Northampton	25	0	0
Smith J. W., Esq., Oundle	13	0	0
Smith Rev. J. T. H., Heyford	10	0	0
Smith Mrs. J. T. H., Ditto	50	0	0
Smyth William, Esq., Little Houghton	41	0	0
Smyth Rev. Christopher, Little Houghton	31	0	0
Stockburn Henry Lenton, Esq., Northampton	20	0	0
Stone George, Esq., Blisworth	21	0	0
Stopford W. B., Esq., Drayton	25	0	0
Strong William, Esq., Northampton	21	0	0
Terry Henry, Esq., Northampton	20	0	0
Thornhill W. C. C., Esq.	10	0	0
Thornton Rev. Philip	15	0	0
Thursby Rev. William, Bank Hall, Burnley, Lancashire	41	0	0
Tryon Thomas, Esq., Bulwick	30	0	0
Villiers the Hon. F. W. C., Sulby	30	10	0
Vergette Mrs. and Family	10	0	0
Vivian Major Quintus	10	0	0
Vyse the Rev. G. S. H., Boughton	21	0	0
Wales the Rev. the Chancellor, Uppingham	30	0	0
Webster Dr., Northampton	21	0	0
West Mrs., Little Bowden	10	0	0
Whichcote Colonel, Merriden, Coventry	21	0	0
Whitworth Henry Billington, Esq., Northampton	20	0	0
Whitworth Robert, Esq.	20	0	0
Williams William, Esq , Northampton	20	0	0
Wood Thos., Esq,, Toft Monks, Beccles	20	0	0
Wright J. W., Esq., Grendon	25	0	0
Wright T. S., Esq., Walgrave	20	0	0
Young Allen Allicocke, Esq., Orlingbury	120	0	0

HONORARY DIRECTOR:

McKorkell Charles, Esq., Northampton.

DONORS TO THE PROPOSED SCHOOL FOR IDIOT CHILDREN.

	£.	s.	d.
Buccleuch the Duke of	100	0	0
Brooke Sir W. De Capell, Bart.	25	0	0
Barton the Rev. Henry J.	25	0	0
Bassett Mr. A.	0	10	6
Baxter Mrs.	0	10	0
Bayly H. L., Esq	2	2	0
Betts T. and W.	2	2	0
Birch the Rev. E. J.	10	0	0
Birdsall & Son Messrs.	0	10	6
Blencowe George, Esq.	5	0	0
Blencowe Mrs. R. B.	3	0	0
Blencowe R. W., Esq.	20	0	0
Compton the Rev. Lord Alwyne	20	0	0
Cartwright Lieutenant-General	50	0	0
Christie W. J., Esq.	25	0	0
Clarke Mr. J.	1	1	0
Cookson the Rev. C.	2	2	0
Cust Miss	1	1	0
Dolben W. Mackworth, Esq	25	0	0
Dorrien Miss	5	0	0
Dulley W., Jun., Esq.	21	0	0
Dunkley Mr.	1	1	0
Exeter the Marquis of	100	0	0
Errington Mr. J.	2	2	0
Finedon Church, Collection at, after a Sermon by the Rev. G. W. Paul	4	12	3
Grafton the Duke of	100	0	0
Gedge the Rev. Sydney	5	0	0
Gonski & Davis Messrs.	1	1	0
Grant W., Esq.	25	0	0
Green Mr. S.	2	0	0
Gray & Son Messrs. W.	1	1	0
Gunton —, Esq.	5	5	0
Harrison the Rev. J. B.	5	0	0
Horton Church, From the Offertory of	1	0	0
Hoskins the Rev. Charles G.	2	2	0
Howes R., Esq.	20	0	0

	£.	s.	d.
Isham Sir Charles, Bart.	50	0	0
Isted A., Esq.	20	0	0
James the Rev. H.	5	0	0
Jolliffe & Son Messrs.	1	1	0
Knightley Sir Rainald, Bart., M.P.	25	0	0
Knight the Rev. R. H.	2	0	0
King's Sutton Church, Collection at	3	2	6
Lamport Church, From the Offertory of	5	0	0
Magdalen College, Oxford, Concert by the Choir of...	10	14	6
Mansell J. C., Esq.	10	0	0
Monckton Mrs.	10	0	0
Mossop the Rev. Charles	20	0	0
Northampton the Marquis of	100	0	0
Northampton the Archdeacon of	100	0	0
Nethercote H. O., Esq.	20	0	0
"Northampton Mercury"	5	0	0
Overstone the Lord	100	0	0
Penrhyn the Lord	50	0	0
Pendred Mr. B.	0	10	0
Perkins Mr. John	10	0	0
Perceval the Hon. Mrs.	5	0	0
Peterborough the late Bishop of	20	0	0
Pinckard J. T., Esq.	5	0	0
Pretyman the Rev. H.	5	0	0
Robinson the Rev. Sir George S., Bart.	100	0	0
Robbins the Rev. George	20	0	0
Rose W. S., Esq.	10	0	0
Russell J. D. Watts, Esq.	20	0	0
Spencer the Earl, K.G.	100	0	0
Southampton the Lord	100	0	0
Smith John, Esq., Quinton	5	0	0
Stanton and Son Messrs.	1	1	0
Stockdale H. M., Esq.	25	0	0
Stopford S. G., Esq., M.P.	20	0	0
Thorley Mrs.	1	1	0
Tryon Thomas, Esq.	20	0	0

	£.	s.	d.
Utley Mr.	1	1	0
Vivian Major Quintus	20	0	0
Wales the Rev. the Chancellor	20	0	0
Wartnaby John R., Esq.	5	0	0
Watson G. L., Esq.	20	0	0
Wicken Church, Collection after a Sermon in	7	2	7½
Wolfe Mrs. Birche	10	0	0

ABSTRACT OF THE ACCOUNT OF THE FUND FOR THE

To Decem-

Dr.	£.	s.	d.
To Donation from the Surplus of the Fund for Raising and Maintaining the late Corps of Northamptonshire Yeomanry Cavalry, with Dividends accrued thereon	7,848	12	7
To Benefactions and Legacies invested at various times in the Funds, from August, 1814, to April, 1834, and subsequently sold out for the purposes of the Building, together with Benefactions and Legacies received to December 31, 1851	16,457	2	3
To Congregational Collections, 1838, 1840, 1841, and 1842	565	9	4
To Rent of Land and Nursery Grounds to 1854	586	5	1
To Sale of Materials of Farm Buildings, Trees and Shrubs, &c., &c.	217	13	11
To amount received from the Charity Fund (Dec. 18, 1861), being the uninvested Balance of Donations, Legacies, and Dividends, accumulated in the Treasurer's hands since December 31, 1851	943	9	0
To Amount received from the Charity Fund (January 16, 1862), being the produce of Sale of £800 Consols	752	8	0
To Benefactions and Legacies received from 1862 to 1868	590	3	0
To Donations towards the erection of a Chapel, including £145 from the Blisworth Flower Show	2,292	0	10
To Contributions towards the Chapel Account from the Asylum Funds	2,217	1	5
To Dividends, with Profits on the Purchase and Sale of Stock, and Surplus Income of the Establishment	42,529	17	7
To Balance due to the Treasurers	3,350	5	9
	£78,350	8	9

ERECTION AND ESTABLISHMENT OF THE ASYLUM,

ber 31, 1868.

Cr.	£.	s.	d.
By Purchases of Land, 63a. 3r. 10p.	11,277	12	4
By Cost of all Buildings and Works up to the end of 1858, including Heating Apparatus, Steam Engine and Boilers, Drains and Sewers, Road making, Laying out and Planting the Grounds, with Fittings, Fixtures, Furniture, and Bedding, all complete for the accommodation of 300 Patients,	43,868	10	9
By Extensions and Alterations in 1859, including a Carpenter's Workshop, a Water-wheel, with Pumps and Rising Mains, Water Mains from the Water-works Company, and various minor Works	548	16	0
By Secretary and Steward's Residence, and Fittings for same, 1859	422	6	0
By Cost of the Chapel	4,509	2	3
Extensions and Alterations, as shown at Page 50, in the Report for 1860	2,045	4	7
Extensions and Alterations, as shown at Page 46, in the Report for 1861	1,360	4	0
Extensions and Alterations, as shown at Page 46, in the Report for 1863	1,726	5	8
Extensions and Alterations, as shown at Page 40, in the Report for 1864	797	12	10
Extensions and Alterations, as shown at Page 30, in the Report for 1865	1,223	6	10
Extensions and Alterations, as shown at Page 26, in the Report for 1865	2,244	1	10
Extensions and Alterations, as shown at Page 37, in the Report for 1866	1,429	7	0
Extensions and Alterations, as shown at Page 39, in the Report for 1867, including £1,074 on account of the New Residence for the Medical Superintendent	1,748	2	3
Extensions and Alterations made in 1868 (see Table 39.), including £1,041. 9s. 6d. on account of the New Residence for the Medical Superintendent	2,623	13	5
Furniture and Bedding for the several portions of the Building erected since 1858.....	2,526	3	0
	£78,350	8	9

STATEMENT OF INCOME AND EXPENDITURE FOR THE

INCOME.	1st Quarter.	2nd Quarter.	3rd Quarter.	4th Quarter.	Totals.
	£. s. d.	£. s. d.	£. s. d.	£. s. d.	£. s. d.
To Income from Patients—					
Private	1745 0 0	1595 11 9	1733 15 9	1726 9 0	6800 16 6
County—					
Maintenance	2295 17 0	2045 17 3	2051 9 9	2092 1 0	8485 5 0
Lodging	742 5 0	672 17 11	682 3 4	677 16 8	2775 2 11
To Cash Receipts by the Secretary and Steward ...	11 19 9	14 1 10	16 14 3	21 16 11	64 12 9
To Cash from Farm Account—					
Rent	...	100 0 0	...	100 0 0	200 0 0
Interest on £900 Farm Capital	...	...	...	36 0 0	36 0 0
To Cash for Donations ...	...	...	...	21 0 0	21 0 0
To Cash Balance remaining with the Secretary for current expenses	...	...	...	...	50 0 0
To Balance due from the Institution	...	...	...	...	3350 5 9
	4795 1 9	4428 8 9	4484 3 1	4675 3 7	21783 2 11

Examined by me, and found correct, 15th February, 1869.—RICHD. HOWES, Auditor.

YEAR ENDING THE 31ST DAY OF DECEMBER, 1868.

EXPENDITURE.	1st Quarter.	2nd Quarter.	3rd Quarter.	4th Quarter.	Totals.
	£. s. d.	£. s. d.	£. s. d.	£. s. d.	£. s. d.
By Balance of last year's Account	...	...	...	...	3254 6 8
By Salaries—Officers	414 3 6	427 10 0	427 10 0	450 14 0	1719 17 6
By Wages—Servants	382 16 0	380 18 4	372 16 0	372 4 6	1508 14 10
By Sick Allowances	13 4 0	13 4 0	15 8 0	39 12 0	81 8 0
By Attendants' Uniforms	29 18 6	15 10 0	27 3 0	32 5 4	104 16 10
By Food and Necessaries	1588 8 9	1439 18 6	1529 6 6	1502 0 0	6059 13 9
By Wines and Spirits	74 17 6	...	54 3 0	28 16 6	157 17 0
By Malt Liquors	171 15 0	169 17 6	183 16 6	201 2 0	726 11 0
By Amusements	5 11 6	1 2 6	0 17 0	7 17 4	15 8 4
By Surgery and Dispensary	16 0 0	3 11 0	28 0 4	30 18 0	78 9 4
By Coal	236 3 0	133 16 0	134 14 0	241 19 0	746 12 0
By Gas	90 2 0	34 10 0	37 15 6	111 13 6	274 1 0
By Water	8 5 0	5 7 0	6 11 8	10 8 0	30 11 8
By Clothing—					
Private Patients	92 5 6	124 0 6	81 16 11	133 6 1	431 9 0
County Patients	318 3 0	219 15 6	62 4 6	176 10 7	776 13 7
By Bedding	174 2 9	13 8 0	92 5 0	47 9 11	327 5 8
By Furniture	210 15 4	116 0 6	103 3 3	71 12 4	501 11 5
By Shrubs, Flower Seeds, &c.	34 14 6	6 11 6	2 1 0	18 19 6	62 6 6
By Repairs	117 6 2	107 1 0	150 14 10	140 7 9	515 9 9
By Wages for Repairs	108 11 1	117 5 2	94 2 0	89 19 8	409 17 11
By Printing and Advertising	48 15 0	31 14 6	25 13 0	22 1 0	128 3 6
By Books and Periodicals	24 4 0	20 3 0	14 1 6	19 18 6	78 7 0
By Stationary	...	...	...	7 2 0	7 2 0
By Stamps	13 3 10	10 19 0	...	12 17 4	37 0 2
By Funerals	19 16 6	10 1 6	33 15 0	8 10 0	72 3 0
By Removals and Incidents	27 3 8	31 3 11	41 17 5	16 12 8	116 17 8
By Returns of Board	...	2 9 0	...	...	2 9 0
By Keep of Carriage Horse	...	...	...	50 0 0	50 0 0
By Rates and Taxes	63 15 0	79 4 1	63 15 0	94 1 3	300 15 4
By Insurance	...	...	...	27 1 3	27 1 3
By Fee Farm Rent	...	...	...	4 7 4	4 7 4
By Interest to Treasurer	...	46 18 0	...	52 12 0	99 10 0
By Expenses of Tour to Seaside	...	250 0 0	...	...	250 0 0
By Additions, Alterations, &c.	288 18 10	924 12 11	970 15 5	439 6 3	2623 13 5
By New Furniture	55 16 6	17 0 0	31 16 0	47 19 0	152 11 6
By Cash to the Secretary for current expenses	...	...	...	...	50 0 0
	4628 16 5	4753 12 11	4586 2 4	4510 4 7	21783 2 11

Read and approved.—WILLIAM SMYTH, Chairman.—February 24th, 1869.

ABSTRACT OF THE FARM ACCOUNTS FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1868.

Dr.	£.	s.	d.
Stock, Implements, and Cash, Dec. 31, 1867..	1085	11	1
New Stock	157	15	0
Provender, Seed, &c.	276	12	6
Implements and Repairs	103	14	3
Labour	125	0	0
Horsehire	27	19	6
Rates and Taxes	54	7	4
Rent	200	0	0
Household Account for Wash, &c.	13	17	1
Interest on £900 Capital	36	0	0
Miscellaneous Payments	20	14	6
	£2,101	11	3

Cr.	£.	s.	d.
Sales of Pigs, &c.	96	0	7
,, Corn, Roots, &c.	61	10	7
,, Meat	329	0	10
,, Vegetables	327	19	7
,, Milk	162	12	2
,, Butter	43	3	10
,, Eggs	7	19	0
Miscellaneous Receipts	60	0	0
Stock, Implements, and Cash, Dec. 31, 1868..	817	7	1
Balance against	195	17	5
	£2,101	11	3

Examined.—R. HOWES, Auditor.

TABLE I.

A RETURN OF THE WORKS CARRIED OUT DURING THE YEAR 1868 BY THE BUILDING COMMITTEE.

Description of Work.	Cost. £.	s	d.
BY CONTRACT.			
Medical Superintendent's Residence.—Balance of Contract for the official Residence of the Medical Superintendent ..... (Amount paid in 1867, £1,053)	769	10	0
Architects' Charges for same ..... (Amount paid in 1867, £21)	94	15	0
UNDER THE SUPERVISION OF THE SECRETARY.			
Medical Superintendent's Residence: Boundary Walls and Outhouses	177	4	6
Steam Pumping Engine for Farm Springs: House for same and fittings	47	6	0
Gas Oven in the Kitchen	16	17	6
Boundary Walls on the West	97	1	0
Addition to Male Ward, No. 4: A four-story Building, giving the following additional accommodation—five baths, a lavatory, scullery, eight beds, and three flights of stone steps. The ground area of the additional Building is 20 ft. by 23 ft., but considerable alterations were made in the old adjoining building (not finished)	573	11	4
Addition to the Centre Buildings: A four-story Building, giving extra offices and bedrooms, and including the removal of three flights of stone steps to a more convenient site, the ground area being 16 ft. by 17 ft. (not finished)	86	2	4
Improvement in Men's Dining Room: Removal of a partition to throw two rooms into one, and alteration of Roof	31	6	9
Addition to Laundry: Giving a range of Drying Closets, heated by steam, with 16 drying horses to run on iron rails, the ground area being 29 ft. by 54 ft., and an Ironing Room, with a ground area of 24 ft. by 47 ft. It being necessary to use the Ironing Room temporarily as a carpenter's shop, the interior fittings remain to be done	691	15	1
Enlargement of Bedroom Windows: Work in hand	13	7	6
Stable Drainage: Connection with the Asylum Sewers	10	17	0
M 2 Ward: An alteration to improve the accommodation of the Private Patients	13	19	5
	£2,623	13	5

TABLE II.

RETURN OF THE NUMBER OF OFFICERS, ATTENDANTS, AND SERVANTS, WITH THEIR SALARIES AND WAGES.

OFFICE.	Annual Salaries & Wages. £. s.	Other Emoluments.
Medical Superintendent	800 0	Unfurnished Residence, Coals, Gas, and Vegetables.
Matron	150 0	Furnished Apartments, Board, Attendance, and Washing.
Assistant Medical Officer	150 0	Furnished Apartments, Board, Attendance, and Washing.
Chaplain	250 0	None.
Secretary and Steward	300 0	Unfurnished Residence, Coals, Gas, and Vegetables.
Office Assistant	32 10	Dinner.
Ditto	11 14	None.
Chief Ward Attendant	55 0	Lodgings, Board, &c.
Chief Nurse	30 0	Ditto, ditto.
Night Attendant	31 0	Ditto, ditto.
Night Nurse	20 0	Ditto, ditto.
Eighteen Male Attendants—one at £30, one at £27, three at £26, two at £25, one at £24, one at £23, nine at £22	430 0	Ditto, ditto.
Twenty Nurses—one at £20, one at £19, two at £18, four at £16, one at £13, three at £12, six at £10, one at £9, one at £8	265 0	Ditto, ditto.
Linen-room Attendant	18 0	Ditto, ditto.
Dressmaker	20 0	Ditto, ditto.
Three Laundrymaids—one at £19, one at £16, one at £14	49 0	Ditto, ditto.
Cook, £42; Kitchenmaid, £12	54 0	Ditto, ditto.
Two Housemaids—one at £12, one at £11	23 0	Ditto, ditto.
Porter, with Wife, for various services	54 0	Tenure of Front Lodge, Coals, Gas, and Vegetables.
Engineer and Whitesmith	91 0	None.
Tailor	65 0	None.
Shoemaker	55 18	None.
Upholsterer	62 8	None.
Painter	62 8	None.
Mason	58 10	None.
Carpenter	70 4	None.
Stoker	39 0	None.
Employed on the Farm and Garden—		
Farming Man	54 12	Vegetables.
Gardener	57 4	None.
Labourer	37 14	Cottage Residence, Coal, and Vegetables.

N.B.—Extra men are employed, as required, for Additions and Alterations.

TABLE III.

INCOME FROM THE POOR-LAW UNIONS ON ACCOUNT OF COUNTY PATIENTS FOR EACH QUARTER, AND FOR THE YEAR 1868.

Unions.	1st Quarter.			2nd Quarter.			3rd Quarter.			4th Quarter.			Totals.		
	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.
Banbury	66	0	0	78	1	3	62	8	9	62	11	3	269	1	3
Brackley	127	7	3	114	8	9	127	1	0	112	16	0	481	13	0
Brixworth	203	3	9	163	2	6	175	17	3	178	11	3	720	14	9
Daventry	222	0	0	200	6	3	200	16	3	182	10	0	805	12	6
Harborough	74	6	3	67	2	6	76	11	3	85	3	9	303	3	9
Hardingstone	89	7	6	88	3	9	79	0	0	75	11	3	332	2	6
Kettering	167	7	6	156	16	3	153	11	3	147	16	3	625	11	3
Lutterworth	12	5	0	11	7	6	11	16	3	10	17	6	46	6	3
Northampton...	378	3	9	340	18	9	323	6	3	374	18	6	1417	7	3
Oundle	168	1	3	131	19	0	123	15	0	119	8	9	543	4	0
Peterborough...	137	12	6	132	3	9	125	16	3	137	1	3	532	13	9
Potterspury	91	17	6	97	2	6	105	12	3	98	17	6	393	9	9
Rugby	36	15	0	35	18	9	43	10	0	39	16	3	156	0	0
Stamford	24	10	0	22	15	0	30	3	0	28	9	6	105	17	6
Thrapston	160	18	9	129	0	0	124	5	0	142	1	3	556	5	0
Towcester	103	5	0	87	10	0	83	10	0	89	16	3	364	1	3
Uppingham	...			...			...			9	13	9	9	13	9
Wellingborough	226	13	6	183	7	0	198	16	3	196	10	9	805	7	6
County of Northampton	6	2	6	5	13	9	5	13	9	...			17	10	0
Payments for Lodgings—															
County of Northampton	591	11	3	539	15	10	542	12	1	529	19	7	2203	18	9
Borough of Northampton	98	11	3	87	7	11	91	15	5	99	5	10	377	0	5
Liberty of Peterborough...	52	2	6	45	14	2	47	15	10	48	11	3	194	3	9
	3038	2	0	2718	15	2	2733	13	1	2870	7	8	11360	17	11

TABLE IV.

CONTRACT PRICES FOR THE PRINCIPAL ARTICLES OF CONSUMPTION,

For the Four Quarters of the Year 1868.

Articles.		First Quarter.		Second Quarter.		Third Quarter.		Fourth Quarter.	
		s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.
Bread	Per 8lbs. ...	1	2	1	2½	1	2	0	11
Flour	Per 20 stones	49	0	52	0	50	0	40	0
Ox Beef—									
Fore Quarters..	Per stone ...	3	8	3	8	3	8	4	0
Hind Quarters..	Per stone ...	4	0	4	0	4	4	4	0
Wether Mutton...	Per stone ...	3	8	4	0	3	8	4	0
Arrowroot ...	Per lb.	0	11	0	11	1	0	1	0
Butter	Per lb.	0	11	0	11	0	11	0	11
Cheese	Per lb.	0	6¼	0	6¼	0	6¾	0	7
Coffee	Per lb.	0	10½	0	11	0	11	1	0
Mustard... ...	Per lb.	0	8	0	8	0	7½		7½
Pepper	Per lb.	0	4½	0	5	0	4½		4½
Rice	Per cwt. ...	13	0	13	0	13	0	13	0
Snuff	Per lb.	4	10	4	10	4	10	4	8
Soap	Per cwt. ...	32	0	32	0	32	0	32	0
Soda	Per cwt. ...	7	0	6	4½	6	4½	6	4½
Starch	Per lb.	0	4½	0	4½	0	4¼	0	4
Sugar—									
Loaf	Per lb.	0	4¾	0	4¾	0	5	0	5
Moist	Per lb.	0	3¾	0	3¾	0	4	0	3¾
Tea	Per lb.	1	9	1	9½	1	10	1	9
Tobacco	Per lb	3	4	3	4	3	4	3	4
Beer	Per gallon...	0	6	0	6	0	6	0	6
Porter	Per gallon...	0	11	0	11	0	11	0	11
Coals	Per ton.....	15	6	15	6	15	0	15	0
Engine Coal ...	Per ton.....	12	3	12	3	12	3	12	3

TABLE V.

SUMMARY OF PROVISIONS,

FOR 1868.

ARTICLES.	First Quarter.	Second Quarter.	Third Quarter.	Fourth Quarter.	Totals.
Bread .. ..lbs.	44129	43567	44207	45375	177278
Flour .....lbs.	3360	3360	3640	3920	14280
Beef ....lbs.	11254	11257	8564½	11114	42189½
Mutton .....lbs.	8988	7658	10322	9184	36152
Extra Meat & Pork lbs.	3029¼	1717½	1514	2445	8705¾
Fruit .....lbs.	144	578	5656	1487	7865
Milk .....gls.	1040	1067	1079¾	1069	4255¾
Potatoes .....lbs.	38776	25554	24830	29663	118823
Vegetables .....lbs.	13940	13385	7150	8744	43219
Fish and Poultry..lbs.	302	238	252	428	1220
Arrowroot .....lbs.	160	...	112	...	272
Bacon .....lbs.	...	...	484½	1411½	1896
Biscuits .....lbs.	42	58	66	36	202
Buns .....no.	...	510	...	...	510
Butter.....lbs.	2856½	2808	2915	3094	11673½
Cheese.....lbs.	2225	2165	1428	2139	7957
Coffee .....lbs.	910	497	520	546	2473
Currants .....lbs.	268	84	88	273	713
Eggs .....no.	2066	2354	2865	2219	9504
Groats.....lbs.	18	18	18	...	54
Mustard .....lbs.	120	72	120	...	312
Oranges .....no.	562	269	6	614	1451
Pepper .....lbs.	52	21	70	3	146
Rice..... .....lbs.	560	...	...	224	784
Sago .....lbs.	20	...	20	20	60
Salt .....cwt.	5	10	5	5	25
Sauces .....pts.	21	...	3	...	24
Snuff .....lbs.	11	11	14	14	50
Spices .....lbs.	3	3	2	10¾	18¾
Sugar—Loaf .....lbs.	791	1034	846½	886½	3558
Moist.....lbs.	2387	2439	2307¾	2538¼	9672
Tea ....lbs.	610	297	644	476	2027
Tapioca .....lbs.	20	30	40	20	110
Tobacco ... .lbs.	81¼	83¼	84½	84½	333½
Treacle .....lbs.	...	6	...	12	18
Vinegar .....gls.	...	25	25	25	75

TABLE VI.

SUMMARY OF NECESSARIES,

FOR 1868.

ARTICLES.	First Quarter.	Second Quarter.	Third Quarter.	Fourth Quarter.	Totals.
Bird Seed .....gls.	58	24	48½	59	189½
Candles—					
Composites.....lbs.	6	...	...	12	18
Moulds .....lbs.	6	...	6	6	18
Dips.....lbs.	12	12	6	30	60
Soap .....lbs.	3616	2496	3680	...	9792
Soda .....cwts.	13¾	26¼	16¼	...	56¼
Starch .....lbs.	231	...	160	140	531

TABLE VII.

SUMMARY OF WINES, SPIRITS, AND MALT LIQUORS,

FOR 1868.

ARTICLES.	First Quarter.	Second Quarter.	Third Quarter.	Fourth Quarter.	Totals.
Beer .....gls.	5616	5688	5688	6480	23472
Porter.....gls.	684	620	765	810	2879
Brandy .....pts.	...	...	...	85	85
Gin .....pts.	...	...	...	40	40
Rum .....pts.	...	...	...	...	...
Wine—					
Port .....pts.	488	...	432	...	920
Sherry .....pts.	216	...	160	120	496
Whisky.....	80	...	...	...	80

TABLE VIII.

COST OF PROVISIONS FOR 1868.

ARTICLES.	First Quarter.			Second Quarter.			Third Quarter.			Fourth Quarter.			Totals.		
	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.
Bread ...	321	15	5	329	0	0	322	6	10¼	259	19	2½	1233	1	5¾
Flour ..	29	8	0	31	4	0	32	10	0	28	0	0	121	2	0
Beef ...	268	17	2	263	18	2	212	17	6	277	17	0	1023	9	10
Mutton ...	205	19	6	191	9	0	236	10	11	229	12	0	863	11	5
Extra Meat and Pork	67	4	0	47	0	9	40	11	8	56	0	7½	210	17	0½
Fruit ...	0	16	6	8	7	5	25	5	0	8	15	8	43	4	7
Milk ...	34	13	4	35	11	4	35	19	8	35	12	8	141	17	0
Potatoes...	119	6	6	65	9	6	80	19	10	83	16	0	349	11	10
Vegetables	36	19	8	54	11	0	29	12	5	18	16	7	139	19	8
Fish and Poultry...	14	6	6	10	6	0	15	8	0	21	4	0	61	4	6
Arrowroot	7	6	8		...		5	12	0		...		12	18	8
Bacon ...		...			...		18	1	6	38	16	3½	56	17	9½
Biscuits ...	1	3	5	1	16	2	1	17	6	1	0	4½	5	17	5½
Buns ...		...		2	2	6		...			...		2	2	6
Butter ...	161	8	3	151	1	1	183	17	11	199	0	10	695	8	1
Cheese ...	59	7	11	57	0	6	40	2	5	62	11	0	219	1	10
Coffee ...	37	7	6	21	14	11	23	17	6	25	13	6	108	13	5
Currants...	4	0	6	1	8	0	1	11	4	5	8	5	12	8	3
Eggs ...	8	9	8	6	18	7	9	16	6	10	6	6	35	11	3
Groats ...	0	13	6	0	13	6	0	13	6		...		2	0	6
Mustard...	4	0	0	2	8	0	3	15	0		...		10	3	0
Oranges ...	2	2	5	1	5	7	0	1	6	2	3	6	5	13	0
Pepper ...	1	0	9	0	9	4	1	6	3	0	3	0	2	19	4
Rice ...	4	1	8		...			...		1	12	8	5	14	4
Sago ...	0	5	0		...		0	5	0	0	4	7	0	14	7
Salt ...	0	10	0	1	0	0	0	10	0	0	10	0	2	10	0
Sauces ...	1	16	0		...		0	6	0		...		2	2	0
Snuff ...	2	13	2	2	13	2	3	7	8	3	6	8	12	0	8
Spices ...	0	8	9	0	9	0	0	5	2	1	14	1	2	17	0
Sugar—															
Loaf ...	15	13	1	20	19	1	17	12	8½	18	9	4½	72	14	3
Moist ...	37	6	0	38	2	2	38	9	3	39	13	2½	153	10	7½
Tea ...	53	8	9	26	12	1	59	0	8	43	12	8	182	14	2
Tapioca ...	0	11	8	0	16	3	1	5	0	0	7	6	3	0	5
Tobacco ...	13	14	1	14	10	4	14	9	9	14	8	2	57	2	4
Treacle ...		...		0	1	6		...		0	3	0	0	4	6
Vinegar ...		...		3	2	6	3	2	6	3	2	6	9	7	6
Sundries...	1	12	2	0	8	8	1	4	10¼	2	17	6	6	3	2¼
	1518	7	6	1392	10	1	1462	13	4	1494	19	1	5868	10	0

TABLE IX.

COST OF NECESSARIES FOR 1868.

ARTICLES.	First Quarter.	Second Quarter.	Third Quarter.	Fourth Quarter.	Totals.
	£. s. d.	£. s. d.	£. s. d.	£. s. d.	£. s. d.
Bird Seed..	3 7 0	1 8 0	1 7 4	3 4 6	9 6 10
Blue	3 10 0	...	...	...	3 10 0
Candles—	...				
Composites	0 5 0	...	...	0 9 6	0 14 6
Moulds ...	0 3 6	...	0 4 6	0 4 0	0 12 0
Dips ...	0 5 9	0 5 9	0 3 0	0 16 3	1 10 9
Soap ...	53 6 8	37 6 8	54 13 4	...	145 6 8
Soda ...	4 15 10	8 8 0	7 8 4	...	20 12 2
Starch ...	4 7 6	...	2 16 8	2 6 8	9 10 10
	70 1 3	47 8 5	66 13 2	7 0 11	191 3 9

TABLE X.

COST OF WINES, SPIRITS, AND MALT LIQUORS FOR 1868.

ARTICLES.	First Quarter.	Second Quarter.	Third Quarter.	Fourth Quarter.	Totals.
	£. s. d.	£. s. d.	£. s. d.	£. s. d.	£. s. d.
Beer	140 8 0	142 4 0	142 4 0	162 0 0	586 16 0
Porter	31 7 0	27 13 6	41 12 6	39 2 0	139 15 0
Brandy	...	...	...	13 14 0	13 14 0
Gin	...	...	...	3 17 6	3 17 6
Rum	...	...	...	...	..
Wine—					
Port	45 15 0	...	39 3 0	...	84 18 0
Sherry	20 5 0	...	15 0 0	11 5 0	46 10 0
Whisky	8 17 6	...	...	...	8 17 6
	246 12 6	169 17 6	237 19 6	229 18 6	884 8 0

TABLE XI.

DIET TABLE.

PAUPER PATIENTS.

BREAKFAST.

Males—6 oz, of bread, ½ oz. butter, and 1 pint of coffee.
Females—6 oz. of bread, ½ oz. butter, and 1 pint of tea.

DINNER.

Sundays Tuesdays Thursdays	Males—11 oz. of uncooked meat, 12 oz. uncooked vegetables, 3 oz. bread, and ¾ pint of beer. Females—9 oz. of uncooked meat, 12 oz. uncooked vegetables, 3 oz. bread, and ½ pint of beer.
Mondays and Fridays.	Males—1¼ lb. Irish stew, 3 oz. bread, and ¾ pint of beer. Females—1 lb. Irish stew, 3 oz. bread, and ½ pint of beer.
Wednesdays and Saturdays.	Males—16 oz. meat pie, and ¾ pint of beer. Females—12 oz. meat pie, and ½ pint of beer.

TEA.

Males—6 oz. bread, ½ oz. butter, and 1 pint of tea.
Females—6 oz. bread, ½ oz. butter, and 1 pint of tea.

SCALES, &c., FOR ARTICLES UNDERMENTIONED.

Per Gallon.

Tea—1 oz. of tea, 3 oz. of sugar, and ½ pint new milk.
Coffee—3 oz. of coffee, 5 oz. sugar, and ¾ pint of new milk.

Per Pound.

Meat pie—2 oz. uncooked meat, 12 oz. uncooked potatoes, 5 oz. flour, with dripping.

Irish stew—2 oz. meat, 10 oz. potatoes, seasoned with pepper, salt, and onions. The liquor of the previous day's boiled meat is added to the Irish stew.

EXTRAS FOR INDUSTRIOUS PATIENTS.

Female Patients employed in the Laundry, the workers on the Farm, Artizans, Ward and Household Helpers, have four ounces of bread, one ounce of cheese, and a pint of beer extra, daily.

Tobacco and Snuff are also allowed to Industrious Patients.

Wine, Porter, and Extra Diet are allowed to the Sick at the discretion of the Medical Superintendent.

PRIVATE PATIENTS.

Weekly Allowance per Patient.

MALES.—6 lbs. uncooked meat, 7 lbs. uncooked vegetables, 7 lbs. bread, 12 oz. cheese, 10½ pints of beer, 8 oz. butter, 2 oz. tea, 8 oz. sugar, 1½ pint new milk, pudding four times a week, fish, poultry, and fruit when in season; besides extra diet if required.

ATTENDANTS.—Same allowance, except fish and poultry, with the addition of 3½ pints of beer.

FEMALES.—4½ lbs. uncooked meat, 7 lbs. uncooked vegetables, 5¼ lbs. bread, 12 oz. cheese, 7 pints of beer, 8 oz. butter, 2 oz. tea (or 1 oz. tea and 4 oz. coffee) 8 oz. sugar, 1½ pint new milk; pudding four times a week, fish, poultry, and fruit when in season; besides extra diet if required.

NURSES.—Same allowance, except fish and poultry.

TABLE XII.

A RETURN OF THE ARTICLES MADE AND REPAIRED ON THE MALE SIDE DURING THE YEAR 1868.

ARTICLES.		NO.
Made in Shoemaker's Shop—		
Men's Blucher Boots	pairs	129
Men's Shoes	,,	180
Women's Boots	,,	65
Women's Slippers	,,	2
Repaired in Shoemaker's Shop—		
Boots and Shoes	,,	1199
Made in Tailor's Shop—		
Pilot Coats		11
Tweed Coats		66
Pilot Jackets		68
Cord Trousers	pairs	146
Pilot Trousers	,,	10
Tweed Trousers	pairs	5
Pilot Vests		76
Tweed Vests		55
Repaired in Tailor's Shop—		
Coats		419
Vests		392
Trousers	pairs	547
Made in Upholsterer's Shop—		
Horsehair Mattrasses		905
Bolsters		225
Mattrass Ticks		8
Cushions		35
Mats		10

General Remark.—In addition to the work above particularised, all the ordinary repairs of the Buildings, Machinery, and Furniture; all Painting, Distempering, and Papering; Plumbing, Glazing, and French Polishing, and a large amount of new work, both in Building and Furnishing, are done by the Artizans and Patients.

THE AVERAGE NUMBERS OF MALE PATIENTS USEFULLY EMPLOYED ARE AS FOLLOW:—

Spade Husbandry, Gardening, and attending to Horses, Cows, and Pigs	74
Steward's Offices	2
Tailor's Shop	7
Shoemaker's Shop	7
Upholsterer's Shop	21
Carpenter's Shop	3
Engineer's Labourers	3
Bricklayer's Labourers	6
Painting and Distempering	4
Kitchen	2
Laundry	1
Ward Helpers	16
Other Domestic Offices	7
Total	153

TABLE XIII.

A RETURN OF THE ARTICLES MADE AND REPAIRED ON THE FEMALE SIDE DURING THE YEAR 1868.

ARTICLES	NO.
Male Clothing—	
Aprons	84
Flannel Vests	146
Flannel Drawers	60
Handkerchiefs	132
Neckerchiefs	451
Shirts	418
Female Clothing—Private Class.	
Aprons	12
Bodices	30
Chemises	25
Drawers	24
Flannel Vests	12
Flannel Petticoats	6
Gowns	82
Handkerchiefs	160
Night Gowns	20
Skirts	15
Pauper Class.	
Aprons	93
Bonnets, trimmed	72
Boot Tops	26
Chemises	144
Day Caps	63
Drawers	12
Flannel Vests	120
Flannel Petticoats	163
Gowns	291

ARTICLES.	NO.
Handkerchiefs	158
Night Gowns	75
Neckerchiefs	72
Pinafores	50
Skirts	151
Shrouds	24
Bedding, Furniture, &c.	
Blankets	160
Bolster Cases	120
Bedside Carpets	32
Bath Towels	112
Counterpanes	43
Huckaback Towels	256
Holland Blinds	49
Kitchen Towels	74
Mangling Sheets	12
Muslin Blinds	26
Netted Curtains	36
Pudding Bags	64
Pillow Cases	73
Round Towels	62
Sheets	261
Table Cloths	21
Valences	28
Nurses Uniform—	
Aprons	76
Caps	57
Gowns	38

In addition to the above, 25,862 articles have been repaired.

The washing of the whole Establishment is done by Female Patients.

RULES FOR THE ADMISSION, VISITING,

AND

DISCHARGE OF PATIENTS.

Applications for the Admission of Patients, or for information regarding the various rates of payment at which Patients are received, must be addressed to the Resident Medical Superintendent, from whom may be obtained printed forms of the papers necessary to be completed and signed before the Patient can be received into the Hospital, and all other information required as to the means of conveying the Patients.

The papers above-mentioned are as follow :

1st. An order for the admission of the Patient to the Hospital, signed by one of the Patient's relatives or friends.

2nd. Certificates to the effect that the Patient is of unsound mind, signed by two qualified medical practitioners, who shall have separately visited, and personally examined, the Patient.

3rd. An obligation for the regular payment of the Patient's board and expenses, signed (unless otherwise specially agreed) by a responsible person, who shall also bind himself, in case any cause arise to render residence in the Hospital objectionable, to remove the Patient within one calendar month after notice to that effect shall have been given by the Committee of Management, and, in case of death, to remove the body, or defray the expenses of the funeral.

These papers being duly filled up, the Patient will be received into the Hospital.

The terms of admission vary from £2. 2s. to £4. 4s. per week, according to the circumstances of the case.

These terms may be reduced after the first Quarter, if the friends of the Patient prove, to the satisfaction of the Committee of Management, that they are not in a position to afford so much.

The terms include board, lodging, washing, medical advice, medicines, and all other necessaries ; clothing, and wines and spirits only excepted. Terms to include the latter items may be proposed.

One quarter's payment is made at the time of admission, and the payments are afterwards made quarterly and in advance. The Committee do not bind themselves to make any return of payment on account of the first quarter.

The friends of Patients are invited to satisfy themselves of the condition of their relatives, and the treatment they receive, by making frequent visits to the Institution.

Patients may be visited on any day, except Sunday, between the hours of Ten and Twelve, or Two and Four.

If the friends, or those who are security for the board, wish to remove a Patient, they shall give five days' notice in writing to the Medical Superintendent.

With every Patient a supply of suitable clothing must be brought to the Hospital, together with an Inventory of the same, and of any other property left with the Patient; and when a Patient's clothes are worn out or destroyed, they must be renewed as often as necessary by the person responsible for the Patient's board on notice to that effect being given, and should such notice not be attended to, the Medical Superintendent may order the clothes necessary for the Patient, the expense of which shall be charged to the next quarter's account.

The utmost attention and care are exercised in the classification of the Patients, according to their habits and different degrees of mental aberration. Ample means of amusement and occupation are provided, and every method resorted to for the amelioration of the condition of the inmates. The utmost liberty, consistent with safety, is permitted, and carriage exercise provided daily for those requiring it.

Divine service is performed twice every Sunday in the Chapel, and prayers are read each morning by the Chaplain, who devotes the whole of his time to his duties at the Hospital.

A Library is provided for the use of the patients, containing publications of a cheerful and instructive character.

The Institution is pleasantly situated in a healthy locality, within a short distance of the Town of Northampton.